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Dear Paul:

Thank you for your letter of August 29, 1960 in which you set forth the concern of the Committee on Procurement of Foreign Publications of the United States Intelligence Board (PROCIB) over the publications coverage from Latin America. As you know the Bureau of Intelligence and Research shares your and the Committee's concern. I provided a copy of your letter to our Executive Staff with the request that it be forwarded to the central budget office of the Department in order to strengthen our previously submitted request for a full-time Regional Publications Officer for Latin America. In this regard it may prove timely for I understand informally that proposed FY 1962 increases in various posts are being pared down now that firm budget figures for FY 1961 are available.

We welcome the proposal since it provides an opportunity to get the job done.

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Please let me know if there is anything further we in State can do with respect to [REDACTED]

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Sincerely,

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